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Application No. : 09/824,454  
Applicant(s) : Jonathan Paul Brennan  
Filed : April 2, 2001  
Title : Soft, Thick, Non-Linting Nonwoven  
TC/A.U. : 1771  
Examiner : Christopher C. Pratt  
Conf. No. : 9506  
Docket No. : 8047

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AMENDMENT AFTER 1<sup>ST</sup> OFFICE ACTION UNDER 37 CFR §1.111(c)

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Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY REMARKS

In response to the Office Action of January 29, 2003, the time for response being extended by two months, pursuant to the fee charged to the Assignee's Deposit Account in the papers submitted herewith, please consider the following remarks and reconsider the application. Attached hereto is a Petition for a Two-Month Extension of Time, and the fee required under 37 CFR §1.17(a), providing for a timely response up to and including June 30, 2003 (June 29, 2003 falls on a Sunday). Applicants request reconsideration of the application.

*Amendments to the Claims* begin on page 2 of this paper.

*Remarks* begin on page 3 of this paper.